

Application No. 10/809,650

NMTI 1002-27

**REMARKS**

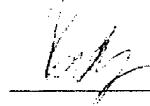
In response to the restriction requirement, Applicants elect to prosecute the claims of Group III drawn to a method of manufacturing an integrated circuit, classified in class 430, subclass 311.

It is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for allowance.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee determined to be due in connection with this communication, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0869 (NMTI 1002-27).

Respectfully submitted,

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